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FOR AMBASSADOR LANDAU FROM GEORGE LISTER

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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS CASE - DR. AGUSTIN GOIBURU
REF: ASUNCION 3589; BUENOS AIRES 5626

YESTERDAY I RECEIVED FROM WASHINGTON FRIEND AN UNMAILED LETTER WRITTEN TO ME BY WIFE OF AGUSTIN GOIBURU, DATED BUENOS AIRES AUGUST 26. SHE CLAIMS HE IS BEING HELD IN COMISARIA PRIMERA, IN ASUNCION, AND HAS BEEN TORTURED, AFTER BEING TURNED OVER BY ARGENTINES. SHE STATES THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN STRICTEST CONFIDENCE BY PERSONS COMING FROM PARAGUAY. THE WASHINGTON FRIEND ADDED ORALLY THAT GOIBURU IS CHAINED TO A WALL AND IN DESPERATE CONDITION.

COPY OF LETTER BEING POUCHED TO YOU, WITH COPY FOR TEX HARRIS IN BUENOS AIRES. ELBA BENITEZ DE GOIBURU SHOWS HER ARGENTINE ADDRESS AS RIVADAVIA 429, PARANA, ENTRE RIOS.

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